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English Mail.

Mr. F. Sergeant is painting a picture of the House of Commons which is intended to contain the portraits of the present and late Administrations, as also of many of the most conspicuous representatives of the United Kingdom. One of the committee rooms of the House of Commons has been placed at the disposal of the artist for the prosecution of a work which promises to be of historical interest.

It is not generally known that foreigners are not disqualified from joining the English Board of Trade as masters in the British mercantile navy. It was stated in the House of Commons the other night by Sir C. Adderley that two foreigners had even received commissions in the Royal Naval Reserve. One has since been naturalized and changed his name, and the other is a Swiss domiciled in England.

The English Army, exclusive of non-efficients in the reserve forces, is returned this year at considerably under half a million. It comprises 161,000 volunteers, 12,500 yeomanry cavalry, 118,000 militia, and 186,821 regulars. Of these last there are 23,821 distributed through the colonies, 62,850 stationed in India, and 100,059 at home. No returns are given of the number of native and colonial troops.

Much interest attaches in nautical engineering circles to the proposed launch of the new iron-clad Superb, which is to take place at Chatham dock yard on the 7th of April. The ship is to be named by the Princess of Wales, and, in consequence, she will be changed from the Superb to the Alexandra. But the practical interest lies in the fact that she is to be launched in the old-fashioned way and not floated out of her dock, as most other large vessels have been. Her weight is nearly 5,000 tons, so that the utmost care will be necessary to avoid failure.

China.

A gentleman named Tysak has arrived at Keelung to inspect the coal mines in that vicinity on behalf of the Chinese Government, with a view to the introduction of steam and machinery as used in foreign mines.

His Majesty the King of Siam has forwarded letters to the Royal Astronomical and the Royal Societies, inviting them to send out astronomers to observe the total eclipse of the sun on the 5th of April next. His Majesty has expressed his intention to consider the visitors as his private guests, and he will provide for their entertainment and transportation.

At a meeting of the creditors of Mr. J. C. Baldwin, of Cullum street, a partner in the firm of McGregor & Co., Hongkong, whose failure we reported last month, it was agreed that a Committee of Investigation should be formed to ascertain how the goods consigned and brought under special lien, has been handled. According to present accounts it appears that neither goods nor proceeds are forthcoming, and that matters are further complicated by the local banks having granted loans on a part of the goods virtually hypothecated to the Manchester firms.

A Noted Runner Dead—A Horse that Won More Money than any Other that Ever Lived.

The famous English race horse Thornbay, sire of the winner of the Derby in 1860, died suddenly of heart disease at Newmarket on Feb. 28th. At two years old he won for his owner in stakes alone upward of $18,000, having started fourteen times, won nine races and being placed either second or third in the remaining five. His trainer felt confident of his ability to win the blue ribbon of the turf on the Epsom Downs, so well had the colt done throught the winter, and this hope was realized, for he won the Derby easily by a length and a half from Wizard, who had won the two thousand guineas, and was the favorite at starting. Mr. Merry had backed his horse so heavily, and on such good terms, that he won between $400,000 and $450,000 on the race. The horse was ill with strangles the day after the Derby, and was not in condition again all the season—running unplaced to St. Albans in the St. Leger, and being beaten by Salteur in the Doncaster Cup, by Wizard in the Grand Duke Michael stakes, and by Tom Bowline in a 500 sovs. sweepstakes. At four years old he won the Claret stakes and Ascot Cup, beating Umpire, Thunderbolt, St. Albans, Fairwater, Parmesan, and others, and was beaten by the American horse Starke, to whom he was conceding fourteen pounds in weight and two years in age, for the Goodwood Cup. This was his last race. He sired Planet, Sunshine, Lady Coventry, Thorwaldsen, Hester, Camel, Atlantic is, Atlantic (the 2,000 guineas victor last year,) Tomahawk, Cashmere, and many other distinguished winners. Two of his produce came to this country—By the Sea and Glengarry. The former is running successfully in Peru, South America, and the latter is at the stud in South Carolina.

PIANOFORTE, SINGING, AND THOROUGH BASS—taught by DIGBY PALMER—(pupil of the late J. B. Cramer, R. A., of Music, London.) Terms—$6 per month. Two lessons per week. Apply at D. P.'s residence, Fort street, or Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co's Book Store, Government street. Victoria, B. C., March 9th, 1875.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

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INSURANCE COMPANY
Of Canada.
INSURES AGAINST ACCIDENTAL DEATH or Injury on Land or Sea,
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AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
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Agents for British Columbia
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Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.
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INSURANCE COMPANY,
ESTABLISHED, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING,
Accumulated Funds - - £3,286,126.
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FAMILY GROCER
Tea and Coffee Dealer,
Fort street.
BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of the city. jo10

Shipping and Steamers.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 4 of 1875.

POINT ATKINSON REVOLVING LIGHT.

Notice is hereby given that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Point Atkinson, at the north westerly entrance to English Bay and Burrard Inlet in the Straits of Georgia, British Columbia.

Latitude 49 deg. 19 min. 42 sec. N.

Longitude 123 deg. 15 min. 54 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the catoptric principle, elevated 119 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st May next. The light will show at intervals of one minute, making a complete revolution in two minutes.

The tower is a square building with dwelling house attached, painted white, elevated 40 feet from summit to centre of Light. The Light will be visible round an arc of the horizon from the entrance to Burrard Inlet to an E. by N. ¾ N. bearing, and should be seen in clear weather 14 or 15 miles distant.

The Light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of North by vessels in the Straits, as this bearing will only lead clear of Sturgeon Bank off Fraser River.

The Bearings are magnetic.

The Light is for coast purposes and to indicate the entrance to Burrard Inlet.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

DEPARTMENT OF MARINE & FISHERIES, Ottawa, 22nd February, 1875. } mh51 2wdw

For Fort Yale & Way Ports
THE STEAMER
GERTRUDE
Will leave Victoria for Fort Yale and Way Ports on or about the 12th April.
For Freight and Passage apply on board.
Special arrangements can be made for Stock to be shipped on a large and commodious Barge through to Victoria without being reshipped at New Westminster.
WM. MOORE,
mh30 Master.

The U. S. Mail Steamer
FAVORITE,
C. WILLIAMS, MASTER.
Will leave Victoria every Tuesday and Friday Mornings for Olympia and Ports on Puget Sound.
This staunch sea worthy steamer having been thoroughly refitted has excellent accommodations for Passengers and Freight at reduced rates. Every effort will be made to make the Steamer Favorite in fact as well as in name.
For Freight or Passage apply on board
fe6 P. D. MOORE, Purser.

NEW WESTMINSTER & YALE.
THE STEAMER
"ONWARD,"
CAPT. JOHN IRVING,
Carrying H. M. Mails,
WILL COMMENCE
HER REGULAR TRIPS
From New Westminster to Yale,
On Saturday, 3d April. mh31

BARK STELLA.
NEITHER CAPT. MEYER NOR THE UNdersigned Agents of the above vessel will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
Victoria, B.C., March 22, 1875. mh23

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.
THE O.S.S. CO'S STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA,
CAPT. JOHN HAYES,
Will leave Victoria for Sitka and Fort Wrangel, on or about 12th April, carrying Freight and Passengers.
For Passage, Freight and Stock apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent O.S.S.Co.,
mh20 Office at Brodrick & Co's.

BARQUE STELLA.
TENDERS FOR RE-MASTING AND REpairing Rigging of the barque "Stella" will be received until noon on FRIDAY, 9th April, at our office.
Specifications and all particulars can be obtained from the undersigned, or from Capt. Meyer on board.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
Tenders will be received for the whole or part.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
Wharf street, 1st April, 1875. ap2

Bark Harvest Home, from London
NEITHER CAPTAIN DAVIS, NOR THE undersigned Agents of the above vessel, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew.
SPROAT & CO.,
Consignees.
Victoria, B. C., April 4, 1875. ap4

Steamer ENTERPRISE.
WILL SAIL on Tuesdays and Fridays from Victoria for New Westminster, at 8 o'clock, a.m.
Freight must be on the wharf the evening previous to the day of sailing, or no receipt will be given.
April 3d, 1875. [ap4] H. G. LEWIS, Captain.

STEAM SERVICE BETWEEN VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General of Canada, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Tuesday, 4th May next, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails twice a month by steamships of not less than 1,000 Tons, nor of less speed than 10 knots an hour, between Victoria, B.C., and San Francisco, for a term of five years, commencing on and from 1st August next.

Tenders may include offers for a service as above, once a week during the months from April to September inclusive, and twice a month during the remainder of each year.

Tenders to state the price asked for the double voyage from Victoria to San Francisco and back or vice versa, and payment will be made at Victoria quarterly.

Stipulations of proposed contracts may be had at the Post Offices of the Chief Cities of the Dominion, including Victoria, B.C.; at the Offices of the British Consuls in New York and San Francisco; at the Office of Messrs. Allan Brothers, Liverpool, and at the Office of the Agent General for Canada in London, Edward Jenkins, Esq., King Street, Westminster.

WILLIAM WHITE,
Secretary.

Post Office Department, Canada, Ottawa, 20th Feby., 1875. mh24

Postal.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Friday 3 P.M.	Tuesday and Friday 6:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Thursday 3 P.M.	Wednesday at 7:30 A.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 7 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

On Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, and Newfoundland, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1874. no4

Shipping.

STEAMER VICTORIA.
WILL MAKE REGULAR TRIPS FROM
SODA CREEK TO QUESNELMOUTH
AFTER THE 15TH OF APRIL.
ap4 3mdw A. S. BATES.

Observe! Observe! Observe!
HAVING LEASED THE SPACIOUS PREMises next to that lately occupied by me, and having removed thereto, I am now prepared to buy goods of all descriptions, New and Second-hand.
Parties leaving orders at my store will be waited upon at their residence.
The Highest Cash Price paid for
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING.
RICHARD HAGGERTY,
Store Street, between Cormorant and Johnson
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MINERS, FARMERS, LUMBERMEN,
Contractors & others,
READ! MARK! LEARN!
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HeH asj Ustr EceIv edAl Arge Loto fgOO dss UiTa Ble forT He FaL la Ndw InTer. Ove Rco Ats a Nd waT terp Roof gOo Dsin gre At vari ety REMEMBER Thes Ego Ods Arem Arke din PLAIN FIGURES att He lowe stpo ss iblepriceforcash andhis motto is
ONE PRICE & NO ABATEMENT.
no10

BRAHMA EGGS,
FROM EXTRA PURE & CHOICE FOWLS, selected for setting. $1 per doz.
J. FINLAYSON,
mh18 1m Family Grocer, Fort St.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR
FURS, HIDES,
WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,
AND CALFSKINS.
mh22 L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf st.

French Benevolent & Mutual Society.
THE MEMBERS of this Society are requested to meet at the Driard House, Sunday, 18th inst., for the purpose of electing a member of the Committee in place of a member who has resigned.
April 8d, 1875. [ap4] P. BOCION, Sect'y.

$500 PER MONTH TO LIVE MEN. SEND $5 for Agent's outfit which will sell for $10, or money refunded
A. D. CABLE, 503 Craig St., Montreal.
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[Successors to JANION RHODES & CO.]
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CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,
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TEA, COFFEE, BUTTER & CHEESE a speciality.
Miner's supplies for Cassiar.
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AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, by long and extensive use, has proven that it stops the falling of the hair immediately; often renews the growth, and always surely restores its color, when faded or gray. It stimulates the nutritive organs to healthy activity, and preserves both the hair and its beauty. Thus brashy, weak or sickly hair becomes glossy, pliable and strengthened; lost hair regrows with lively expression; falling hair is checked and stablished; thin hair thickens; and faded or gray hair resume their original color. Its operation is sure and harmless. It cures dandruff, heals all humors, and keeps the scalp cool, clean and soft—under which conditions diseases of the scalp are impossible.
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N. B.—Cargoes of Piles furnished at Short Notice.
ja20 6mdw

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WARRANTED TO CLEANSE SCURF and Dandruff from the head,
RESTORE THE HAIR
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Sold at my HAIR DRESSING SALOON, on Johnson street, third door from Government st. fe4

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fe14 3m

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T. LUBBE,
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FURS AND SKINS
PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.
CASH ADVANCES made on Consignments to my correspondents in New York and London.
mh7 3m

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YATES ST., VICTORIA.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLESALE Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS
ns18 And French Preserves.

Notices.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNdersigned are requested to settle their accounts on or before the 20th of April next; and all persons having accounts against the undersigned will present them for payment before that date.
JOSEPH WEBB,
mh27 Miners' Hotel, Nanaimo.

NOTICE.

CHEQUE NO. D 34102, DATED MARCH 22d, 1875, on Bank of British Columbia, drawn by Joseph Gosnell, payable to G. Sutro or bearer, for the sum of Fifty Dollars, having been lost, payment of the same has been stopped. mh24 2w

Notice.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ME ARE requested to call and arrange their accounts, as I am prepared to make easy settlements.
C. BOSSI.
Government St., Feb. 3d, 1875. fe4

NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR the erection of a hall for the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society.
Plans and Specifications may be seen at THE COLONIST office until Monday, the 29th inst., and at H. Simpson's Prairie Tavern from the 29th inst., till the 10th day of April next.
Tenders to be sent in to H. Simpson, Prairie Tavern, South Saanich, on or before Friday, the 16th April, 1875, where plans and specifications can be seen. Sufficient security will be required.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
By order of the Board of Directors.
ALEX. ANDERSON, Jr., Hon. Sec.
Saanich, 13th March, 1875. mh14

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF
Mules or Horses,
BELONGING TO THE
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,
Without writ'en authority after this notice,
WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.
By order,
MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

PILOT BOARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Supreme Court having annulled the sentence of suspension passed by the Pilot Board of British Columbia upon the undersigned, bearing date the 5th day of December, A.D. 1874, he remains duly qualified to act as a Pilot in British Columbia under his former License and is prepared to act as such.
(Signed) ALEX. McKINNON.
Dated 15th Feb., A.D. 1875. fe16

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.
JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
January 21st, 1875. ja22

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG

ROAD TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Road Tax for the current year is due and payable at my office for the following Road Districts. Victoria, Lake, Highland, North and South Saanich, Esquimalt, Metchosin, Sooke.
All parties owing arrears will be sued on the 15th May if their taxes are not paid on or before that date.
RICHARD WOODS,
Bastion St., Victoria, Col. Road Tax.
2d April, 1875. ap3

NOTICE.

WHEREAS A PETITION FOR AN ADJUDIcation in Bankruptcy was on the first day of April, A.D. 1875, filed in the Supreme Court of British Columbia in Bankruptcy at Victoria, against **Wing Ning, Wong Fund and Wong Goun**, all of the City of Victoria, B.C., Merchants and General Dealers (under the name, style and firm of Tye Chung Lung & Co.) under which petition they have been adjudged Bankrupts, Notice is hereby given, that the said Wong Ning, Wong Fund and Wong Goun are hereby required to surrender themselves to Charles Edward Pooley, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of Creditors, to be held before the said Registrar on Thursday the 22d April, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Supreme Court office, Victoria, and also to the Court at the public sitting to be appointed by the Court for the said Bankrupts to pass their last examination, of which sitting due notice will be given in the Government Gazette and Daily Colonist. At the first meeting of Creditors the Registrar will receive the proofs of the debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupts' estate and effects. At the public sitting proofs of the debts of Creditors will also be received, and the Bankrupts will be required to submit themselves to be examined and to make a full disclosure of all their estate and effects and to finish their examination.
Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or who have any of their effects, not to deliver the same but to Charles Edward Pooley, Official Assignee, whom the Court has appointed, and give notice to ALBERT T. D. McELMEN, Solicitor, of Victoria, B.C.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
ap4 Registrar.

Mr. W. JACKSON,

(Late Resident Surgeon, Royal Hospital.)
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, Yates street, opposite Langley street, daily from 9 a.m. till 12 m., and 6 to 9 p.m.
Mr. Jackson has opened in connection with his Yates street office
A Retail Drug Store.
PRESCRIPTIONS DISPENSED.
RESIDENCE—Cormorant street, below Blanchard.
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ON AND AFTER THIS DATE WE WILL deliver
THE BEST
Screened Nanaimo
COAL
—AT—
EIGHT DOLLARS
PER TON OF 2,000 LBS.
R. BRODRICK & CO.
VICTORIA, 14th Feb., 1875. fe14

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Customs Tariff.

The attitude of Ministers on this question was rather more amusing than edifying. The Provincial Secretary opposed the Report of the Committee, while he voted for it. The Chief Commissioner misrepresented and bitterly opposed it. The Minister of Finance maintained a descreet silence but didn't venture to vote against it. The Premier voted for it in silence, only a slight grimace indicating the painfulness of the operation. We have said both the Provincial Secretary and the Chief Commissioner misrepresented the question. They persisted in describing it as a proposition to increase taxation, to make this Province pay more than the others. They knew such was not the case. The proposition is to place certain additional duties upon specified articles by way of affording protection to our own producers, and to reduce the duty on dry goods "in such manner as to adjust the difference of the proposed increase." In other words, a reduction is to be made on goods which must be imported and which all use equal to the increase on those commodities which we can raise ourselves and which ought not to be imported. That is the sum and substance of the proposition; and we do not believe these Ministers will be likely to gain much cheap popularity by so wantonly misrepresenting facts. But if, as Mr. Beaven asserted, "important interests were entirely overlooked," why didn't he move such an amendment as would have included these interests? Had he done so, we feel quite certain it would have met with proper consideration. But, instead of doing that, he contented himself with moving an absurd amendment which bore falsehood on the face of it, and which could only find two supporters beside himself! It would be cruel to hold out much hope of Canada making the concession now. There is little doubt that it could have been got when Canada came to Columbia to ask for a relaxation of the Railway bond; but the Government lost that opportunity of obtaining protection for our farmers and stock-raisers.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Europe.

VENICE, April 8.—The Emperor of Austria left yesterday, after conferring a number of decorations and earnestly congratulating Victor Emanuel on the unification of Italy.

BERLIN, April 8.—The Bishop of Breslau having refused to resign his See, legal proceedings will be commenced immediately to enforce compliance with the decree of the court.

LONDON, April 8.—In the House of Commons this evening the merchants shipping bill passed to second reading. It makes owners of vessels liable for compensation to sufferers by their loss. Increases the efficiency of the service, and includes regulations in regard to loading. Plimsoll gave notice he would move in committee amendments limiting deck cargoes, prohibiting stowage of grain in bulk, establishing maximum load line, and making surveys compulsory.

Moody and Sankey to night opened a new hall in Bow street, which had been specially constructed for them, and capable of seating ten thousand people.

LONDON, April 8, 5 A. M.—The Berlin "Post," ministerial journal, has a leading article saying that recent events unfortunately render it too probable that the present French assembly, fearing there will be a republican majority in the next assembly disposed to peace, are anxious to precipitate a war of revenge under the dangerous auspices of Marshall MaMahon and the Orleans princes, while a strong body of royalist deputies will be placed in position to profit by a restoration of the monarchy. War accordingly is coming, although the clouds gathering on the horizon may yet be dispersed.

The Austrian Conservatives are endeavoring to oust Andressey from the Cabinet, with a view of participating in coming events. The greater part of the upper classes in Italy are ready to join any ally against Germany, considering her anti-papal attitude hostile to Italian interests, yet it is by no means certain that France will be able to procure an Austro-Italian alliance just now. If her endeavors fail the war will probably be delayed, but things have reached a pass when the German people should be better acquainted with the realities of the situation. It is time to awake slumberers.

The Berlin correspondent of the London "Times" says: This article is likely to have a strong effect, and alarming rumors are rife. The same correspondent states that since the meeting of the Emperor Francis Joseph and King Victor Emanuel, there is even less prospect than before in Berlin of concerting common measures with Austria and Italy in relation to the personal responsibility of the Pope.

DUBLIN, April 8.—Sir John Gray, member of Parliament from Kilkenny, and proprietor of the "Freeman's Journal," Dublin, died yesterday.

HALIFAX, April 8.—A dispatch says vessels are arriving from the seal fisheries; that three reached port yesterday with a total of 97,000 skins.

LONDON, April 7. — The budget about to be presented by the Chancellor of the Exchequer to Parliament will give the following exhibit of finances for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1875: Total revenue from all sources, £74,922,000; excess over estimates, £497,000; total expenditures, £74,328,000; less than estimate, £636,000 sterling; reduction of expenses and excess of receipts give surplus to government of £1,133,000.

Roberts, Jr., won the first prize at the billiard tournament at Manchester, played on the American plan by the eight principal experts in England.

LONDON, April 7.—A "Times" Paris correspondent states Prussia has sent a note to the other powers on the subject of the correspondence with Belgium, and declared she would await the result of the Duchesne investigation. The correspondent vouches for the trustworthiness of his information, but it is probably incomplete, as the trivialty of the German complaint does not seem to justify its subsequent significant expression. The gravest of the features of the Prussian note is that the complaints are directed against Belgians generally, whose attitude is therein considered hostile to Germany.

BERLIN, April 7.—In the Lower House of the Prussian diet, yesterday, a bill withdrawing state grants from Roman Catholic clergy, passed to a third reading.

LONDON, April 7.—A considerable portion of to-day's session of the House of Commons was consumed in debate on a bill by Professor Fawcett to enable unmarried woman to vote at elections for members of Parliament.

Mr. Smollett said the agitation emanated from a number of turbulent women in America, and that the bill, if passed, would enfranchise women who gained their livelihood by immorality.

The House, upon division, refused to order the bill to a second reading by a vote of 152 to 187.

Mr. Disraeli voted with the minority.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Yesterday Count Marefoschi fulfilled the mission entrusted to him by the Pope, of announcing officially to Archbishop McCloskey his elevation to the cardinalate. A number of clergy and laity were invited to witness the ceremony, including Rt. Rev. Bishop McCloskey, of Louisville. The Count, after presenting his credentials from Cardinal Antonelli, written in Italian, read a brief address in Latin, to which the new Cardinal responded in the same language. Monseigneur Roncetti, bearer of the Beretta from the Pope, made an address in French, in which he said the elevation of the Archbishop to the cardinalate was no more than a fitting recognition of the position this country assumes among nations of the world, not merely because of the wonderful movements of commerce, of inventions and of whatever regards material progress it has displayed, but also because these things are far from engrossing the minds of this people to the exclusion of interests of the religious and moral order.

Cardinal McClosky replied in French. The cardinal privately signified his choice of April 22nd as the day for receiving the beretta entrusted to Mons. Roncetti.

Notices.

COMMONS, March 29th.

Mr. Thompson (Cariboo)—Enquiry—When will the several surveying parties required to complete the surveys for the Canada Pacific Railway on the mainland of British Columbia be dispatched to that Province.

Mr. Thompson—Whether the reports of the engineer, employed during the year 1874 on the survey of the Canada Pacific Railway will be published during the present Session, and whether the report of Mr. Horetzky as to his exploration on the Peace River route will be published.

SEVEN lives were lost by the giant powder explosion at San Francisco. The explosion was occasioned by a man smoking a pipe near a box containing loose powder.

THE steamer North Pacific, with thirty passengers, 35 tons of potatoes for shipment to San Francisco, and 11 head of live stock for Victoria butchers, arrived yesterday morning.

MR. SAWTELLE has retired from the Phelps Troupe and will probably visit Nanaimo and New Westminster to enact his celebrated character of Rip Van Winkle.

IT is said that a number of persons in the neighbourhood of Orilla are about to proceed to British Columbia, to form a colony of their own.

THE steamship California sailed from Portland on Sunday morning and will leave for Wrangel and Sitka on Wednesday evening at 4 o'clock.

MR. CARR, Collector of Customs for Fort Wrangel, has been ordered back to his post to resume his duties. The trial will take place in June.

NANAIMO LIGHTHOUSE.—Mr. Arthur Finney has been appointed to superintend the Nanaimo Lighthouse.

THE tug Grappler will leave at noon to-day with the bark Marie Trinidad for Moody & Nelson's mills.

IT is reported that Mr. Moore, Puget Sound mail contractor, has secured the steamer Olympia for the service.

THE bark Clifton has arrived at Portland, Oregon, from Victoria.

New Advertisements

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES

THE STEAMSHIP

CALIFONIA,

CAPTAIN HAYES,

Will leave for Fort Wrangel and Sitka on Tuesday evening or daylight on Wednesday morning.
For Passage, Freight or Stock apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent,
ap13 Officeat Brodrick & Co's.

Wanted Immediately.

A FEW A. B. SEAMEN FOR A SHIP bound to the Coast of Mexico and England.
Apply to JER NAGLE,
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NOTICE.

TENDERS

ARE INVITED FOR

RAISING AND REMOVING

THE SUNKEN

Schooner Industry,

Lying Opposite Rhodes' Wharf.

Particulars may be ascertained by applying to the undersigned.

Tenders will be received up to NOON of

THURSDAY, 15th instant.

The Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

JAS. COOPER, Agent,
ap13 Department Marine & Fisheries.

THEATRE ROYAL.

LESSEE & MANAGERESS - - - MRS. F. M. PHELPS

TUESDAY EVENING, April 13, 1875,

MISS KATE DENIN

—AS—

ROMEO

In Shakespeare's sublime play of

ROMEO AND JULIET.

Supported by the

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For particulars see Programmes.

On Thursday—London Assurance, for the Benefit of Miss Kate Denin.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle & Parquette - - -	$1 00
Pit - - - - - - - - - -	50
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Doors open at 7:30, commence at 8 o'clock precisely.
mh30

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Barrister-at-Law & Notary Public,

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GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.
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Malcolm McClarty

FASHIONABLE

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,

Has removed to Johnson Street, two doors below Government Street.
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Teacher Wanted.

A DULY QUALIFIED TEACHER IS wanted for Lake District School. Apply to
GEO. LINDSAY, Lake.
Or to MR. JESSOP,
ap11dw Supt. of Education.

Victoria Water Works.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL Wednesday next the 14th inst., up to 4 p.m., for hauling the 16-inch main pipes from Dickson, Campbell & Co's Wharf, Victoria, and to distribuee the same along the line.

Specification of the work can be seen daily at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Council Chambers. Commissioner.
Broad street, 8th April, 1875. ap9

CREDIT

DRY GOODS

AUCTION

—ON—

Wednesday, 14th April,

At salesroom, cor. Fort and Langley streets.

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

A. B. GRAY & CO.

WILL HOLD THEIR

Opening Trade Sale

—OF—

SPRING GOODS

Comprising Straight Invoices put up into lots suitable for Wholesale Buyers, of the following:

MEN'S CLOTHING.

Tweed and other Suits, Pants, Coats, Baltic and Cassimere Shirts, White Dress Shirts, Regatta Shirts, Underclothing.

DRY GOODS.

Shawls, Dress Stuffs, White Tablecloths, colored Tablecovers, Towels, Scarlet and other Flannels, Diaper, white and grey Sheetings in all widths, Straining Linen, Handkerchiefs, Table Baize, Hosiery, Tweeds, Linen Tabling, Linen Hollands, Ladies' Trimmed Hats, Dress Trimmings, Feathers, Horrocks' Long Cloths, Grey Cottons, Wall Lining Cottons, etc., etc.

SUNDRIES.

Children's Chairs, Casks, Bar Tumblers, Baskets, Scissors, Shop Counter, lot Shop Drawers, Show Case, Mirrors, Furs, etc., etc.

Terms Liberal.

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BY A YOUNG MAN strictly temperate, who understands the care of horses and cows, can milk, tend garden and writes a very good hand, a situation to work mornings, evenings and Saturdays for board and lodging and attend school. Address O. M. Gregory, Victoria P.O. ap4

Wanted.

A QUALIFIED TEACHER FOR CRAIGflower School. Apply to
MARTIN DODD,
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Municipal Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ANY person or persons desirous of appealing against their Assessment or Assessments on the Municipal Assessment Roll, 1875 must hand in (in writing) to the Clerk of the Municipal Council a notice of his or their grounds of complaint on or before the 30th day of April, 1875.

City of Victoria, B. C., WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office March 31, 1875. ap3

G. HUSTON

HAS RECEIVED

EX "HARVEST HOME"

A LARGE STOCK OF

POWDER in ⅛lbs.,
BLASTING POWDER in ¼bbls.,
LEAD in bars,

COD LINES and a full assortment of FISHING TACKLE.

As I Intend to close out I will sell at

REDUCED PRICES

Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches Game Bags, Gun Tackle, Single and Double Barrel Guns, &c.

A few Superior Double Barrel Guns, Manufactured by Langley, Smyth & Company, London.

ap6 1m2p G. HUSTON.

To Let or Lease.

A SMALL FARM IN AN OUTLYING DISTRICT. Terms easy. For particulars apply at
ap7 1mdw THIS OFFICE.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL,

VIEW STREET,

Hours from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Terms, $5 to $7 per Mont'h.

An Evening School

Will be opened on Monday April 5th. Hours from 7 to 9. Terms $4 per month.

For further particulars apply to Rev. E. Cridge or to W. F. Jones, Esq. ap1

Information Wanted.

OF JOHN DAVID OR THOMAS HARRIS, who left Nova Scotia about 24 years ago for California and are now supposed to be on Vancouver's Island. Information of either will be thankfully received from any person by
WM. McG. MUNSIE,
Corner Oak and Laguna Sts.,
ap9 3t San Francisco, California.

Barnard's Express,

(OFFICE, YATES ST.)

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, EXPRESS Matter will be received up to 8 o'clock, p.m. on the evening preceding the departure of steamer "Enterprise," that is to say: On Monday Evening for New Westminster and Yale; and on Thursday Evening for New Westminster and Yale, and Cariboo and Okanagan Routes.

ap8 2wdw F. J. BARNARD & CO.

Stock Lost.

SEVEN HEAD OF HEIFERS and Steers, 2 years old, branded J. H on the hip and right ear cut and nicked, have escaped from the enclosure near the Royal Oak Inn, Saanich road. Anyone returning the same or giving information where they may be found will be suitably rewarded.

J. HEAL, Lake District.
April 6, 1874. ap7 1mdw

Victoria Water Works.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 4 p.m. on Monday the 19th instant, for Laying, Jointing, &c., the Main Pipes from the Dam at Beaver Lake, to the corner of Douglas and Fisguard Sts., Victoria.

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JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Council Chambers, Commissioner.
Broad street, 8th April, 1875. ap9

New Advertisements.

MISS RUTLAND

BEGS RESPECTFULLY TO INFORM THE Ladies of Victoria and vicinity that she has taken the Store adjoining Mr Waller's, on Fort street, and will open on Saturday, 3d inst., with an assortment of

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY,
STRAW HATS and
FANCY GOODS,

And trusts by prompt attention to business and Moderate Charges to merit a share of their patronage.

Wedding and Mourning Orders Executed on the Shortest Notice. ap2

Miscellaneous.

St. Joseph's Hospital.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE building of an Hospital will be received up to the 21st inst. The Committee will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for the Plans and Specifications ONLY of which they approve. Should they decide to employ the Architect whose plans and specifications may be adopted, then they will only pay the usual charge for such plans and superintendence.

For further particulars apply at the office of F. Garesche, Yates.

F. GARESCHE,
EDGAR MARVIN,
JAMES LENIHAN,
P. McTIERNAN
} Building Committee.
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THE BRITISH COLUMBIA

TOWING AND TRANSPORTATION COMP'Y

LIMITED,

Respectfully Notify Shipmasters and Others that the

Steamers GRAPPLER and BEAVER,

Under the command of Expepienced Captains, are now ready to tow vessels to NANAIMO, BURRARD INLET and elsewhere at Moderate Rates.

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We have received large shipments of Goods by the above vessels. Our Stock of

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Is Now Complete.

10,000 pieces of Wall Paper of the newest patterns, Paper Lining, Door Mats, Cocoa and China Matting, Window Blinds, Floor and Table Oil Cloths, Linoleum, China, and Children's Tea Sets, Brown Tea Pots,

Glassware & Crockery

Plated Ware, and Cutlery, Warming Pans, Hot Water Foot Warmers for Beds and Carriages, Copper Toddy Kettles, Egg Cups and Nest Eggs,

BRUSHES OF ALL KINDS

Coal Scuttles, Fenders and Fire Irons, Garden Tools,

TWEEDS FOR BOY'S CLOTHING,

A Fine Assortment of Alpacas and Brilintines; FURNITURE and BEDDING of all kinds kept in stock and Made to Order.

Our system of selling goods at SMALL PROFITS has increased our business so that we are able to purchase goods in large quantities DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTORIES which enables us to sell a much better quality of goods without advancing our prices.

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MEN'S CLOTHING,

A Fine assortment of German, French, English and American Manufacture.

BOYS' CLOTHING.

In Fancy Trimmed Serge and Tweed Suits.

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In Shaker and Welch Flannel, Canton Flannel, Plain and Clouded Merino, Shetland, Pelerine and Mission Mills Flannel Goods.

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A Choice Assortment in Plain, Plaited and Fancy Fronts—the Latest Styles.

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Pants, Jumpers and Smocks in White, Brown and Mole Color, with Patent Leather Bindings.

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The Newest Styles in Men's Felt, Straw and Panama. Boys, Hats in great variety.

HOSIERY,

Men's, Boys', Women's, Girls and Misses

SHAWLS.

In Plaid Wool, Check Ottaman, Lama, Diagonal, Queensland, Striped Wove, &c.

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DRESS GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY.

LINENS, Damasks, Towels and Toweling,
CLOTHS in Beavers, Tweeds and Cassimeres,
PRINTED COTTONS, a choice lot, Gray & White Cottons
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FLANNELS, UMBRELLAS in great variety,
BLANKETS 2¼, 3 and 4 point, English and California,
GRAIN SACKS, I. R. Boots,
Single and Double Barrelled GUNS.

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BRANDY—Sazarac and Hennessy, dark, in octs. and qrs., the Finest in the market—10 years old.
DO Hennessy, pale.
SHERRY—Duff Gordon, pale.
BOURBON WHISKY—"The Pride of Kentucky" and "Our Own Private Stock."
CHAMBERTIN BURGUNDY and California Wines.

No. 1 CHINA RICE, Dried Peaches, Currants,
SARDINES in ½s & ¼s, MUSTARD—Coleman's & French
TEA—Suiil Congou and Basket.
PICKLES—Crosse & Blackwell's, Wor. Sauce in pts. & ½pts.
VINEGAR in cks. 12½ and 25 gals., Lime Juice.
ORANGE and Lemon Marmalade. Peel.
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Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 13TH, 1875.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

FIRST PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FOURTH SESSION.

MONDAY, April 12.

PETITION.

A petition was presented from the Victoria Cemetery Board. Received and ordered to be printed.

CHURCH RESERVE.

Hon. Mr. Walkem explained that he had seconded the resolution to inquire into the ownership of the Church Reserve property because the hon. gentleman for Cariboo (Mr. Barnston) was absent. He (Mr. Walkem) had no desire to serve on that Committee.

Mr. Barnston was appointed to the vacancy.

WESTMINSTER TAX SALES.

Mr. McCreight reported from the Committee on the New Westminster Tax Sales Bill that in their opinion the matter was one for the Supreme Court and not for this House to deal with.

Mr. Holbrook complained that this Committee had arrogated to themselves judicial powers and that they had exceeded their functions and ignored the House. He contended that the Committee's duties were confined to seeing whether the Standing Orders had been complied with. He had placed the fullest information in the hands of the Committee, and now they had reported against the Bill in a most unprecedented manner. The hon. gentleman proceeded to severely condemn the conduct of the Committee, and said that the property which was sold was forfeited by the refusal of its former owners to pay their taxes. In the present condition of things the progress of the town was stopped because the present holders were kept in doubt as to the legality of the sales. He concluded by moving that the Bill be referred back to the Committee for report so that the Bill may be laid before this House.

Mr. Hughes seconded.

Hon. Mr. Walkem with great warmth said that the hon. gentleman had had the temerity to talk for half an hour in his own interest. He asked the House to give him a lot of land for which he had paid little or nothing. The hon. gentleman (Mr. Holbrook) had actually signed another man's name (Mr. Webster's) to the petition. He didn't object to relief being granted, but this was not the way to obtain it. The hon. gentleman had committed a breach of privilege in reporting what went on before the committee. He suggested that one suit be entered into to test the whole 56 cases. He quoted the Act which prevented a member from voting on any subject in which he might have a direct pecuniary interest.

Mr. Holbrook said that he was interested in a half lot which he had bought from John Cooper. He did not buy any property at the sale. He had signed Mr. Webster's name after due authorization, and again urged the point of excess of duty by the Committee and concluded by deprecating the remarks of the Attorney General so far as they affected New Westminster as unjust.

Mr. Hughes defended the petitioners.

Mr. Walkem replied disclaiming any intention of disparaging the petitioners.

Mr. Booth defended the action of the Committee.

Dr. Tolmie said the Committee had sat several time on the Bill and had endeavored to do justice to the present as well as the absent; and as a member of the Committee he would have no objection to see the Bill come before the House under the 64th Section.

Mr. Robson while agreeing with the leader of the government in his position attacked that hon. gentleman for his assault on the hon. member for New Westminster who, in the unselfishness of his nature, had forgotten that he had $100 in the property (laughter). He also referred to the allusion of the hon. Attorney General to the signing of another gentleman's name as coarse and unjustifiable.

Hon. Mr. Walkem retorted that the hon. gentleman for Nanaimo should be the last to stand up for New Westminster, which district he had deserted—deserted the men that fed him.

Mr. Robson replied that the allusion was contemptible. When he left New Westminster an address of confidence in him signed by all but 3 of the residents of that place was presented to him. Such allusions came in remarkably bad grace from the leader of the government who was kicked out of every district on the Mainland and finally had to appeal to poor Governor Seymour to hoist him into the Council as a magistrate (great laughter.)

The amendment was here withdrawn and the report was adopted.

PRIVILEGE.

Dr. Tolmie complained that the correspondence with respect to Indian affairs moved for 19 days ago had not been printed.

Hon. Attorney General said that the correspondence was in the hands of the printer.

NICHOLSON'S CASE.

Mr. Tolmie moved that a Committee consisting of the following members, viz: —W. F. Tolmie, W. A. Robertson, W. Smithe, C. Semlin, J. McCreight, be appointed to inquire into charges preferred in a petition submitted to this House against John Nicholson, Superintendent of Roads for Victoria, Saanich and other districts, with power to call for persons and papers; and to report on these charges to this House.

Mr. W. A. Robertson seconded.

Hon. Mr. Walkem said that Nicholson was not a government official. He was a contractor and had no more right.

Hon. Mr. Beaven —Yes, he's Superintendent of Roads (laughter).

Hon. Mr. Walkem—Oh, then he *is* an official (laughter). He alluded to the allegations in the petition as flimsy. The government would take no objection to resolution now, but the Committee should be drawn by ballot.

A ballot was then taken and the following Committee chosen: Tolmie, Semlin, Duck, Robinson, W. A. Robertson and Smithe.

LAND ACT.

Mr. Walkem introduced a Bill intituled "An Act to amend and consolidate the laws affecting Crown Lands in British Columbia."

BOUNDARY FENCES.

Mr. McCreight introduced a Bill intituled "An Act respecting boundary fences."

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY.

The hon. Minister of Finance & Agriculture said that on moving that the Speaker do leave the Chair he proposed to make a few remarks on the financial condition of the Province with reference to the sum of $185,000 which appeared on the Estimates. This sum was obtained as a temporary loan at the low rate of 6 per cent. The revenue inclusive of that collected and retained by the Municipalities, showed an increase of nearly $20,000. Licenses and Road Tax showed an increase over the last two or three years. General mining receipts for 1874 amounted to about the same sum as in 1872, and showed an increase over 1873. The Estimates would show the success of the Government policy of opening up the country during the last year as an amount of about $100,000 had been expended in opening up the New Westminster District, and, as a result of this policy, upwards of 280 families had settled, and the yearly increase to the revenue of $27,000. Derived from this source was from in excess of the $7000 which it was estimated would justify the expenditure. It should also be remarked that several of the settlers brought a considerable amount of capital into the Province with them, and this will of course have to be placed amongst the beneficial results of last year's expenditure. He gave a resume of the position of the Province before the adjustment of the Provincial debts by the Dominion Government, and stated the difference between the debt at present allowed and the debt with which British Columbia entered the Dominion at some $884,700, the interest on which amounted to $44,000. Great care had been bestowed upon the preparation of the Estimates and the Government had been solicitous in every case not to exceed the probable amount which might be derived from any source. As the various items would receive any explanation which might be required in Committee he would not detain the House any longer; but would simply express a hope that the care which had been exercised in the preparation of the Estimates would ensure them the support of every member of the House.

Mr. Holbrook said he would sieze the usual privilege accorded to members at this stage of the proceedings of freely criticizing the policy of the Ministry, and first and formost he would state it as his conviction that the mission of the Premier to England had for its object to bring the Railway by way of Seymour Narrows, instead of the more natural route of the Fraser River. He thought the Estimates had been prepared with care, and were liberal to the country, and was also of opinion that benefit had been derived from the expedition of the government on the Fraser River Valley Roads, and after alluding to the government having thrown out the bill which he had brought in to legalize certain sales of land and expressing a hope that the govsrnment would now do something themselves for the protection of the New Westminster people, he again lamented the probability of the Railway coming by way of Bute Inlet or Deane's Canal, which he considered a mere waste of labor.

Mr. Robson, after a few remarks upon the manner in which the government had narrowed down the rights of private members by an arbitrary movement, proceeded to avail himself of the one still left, the right to say at this stage of the proceedings what they thought of the Government and their policy. Going back to last year we found the government proclaiming that their policy was to build a dry dock and to expend on various works large sums of [illegible] y without increasing the taxation of the country. What was the result? The dock scheme had collapsed, and instead of receiving the million on which they had calculated they had been compelled to borrow money at 6 per cent., and doubtless in consequence of this, we found the word liability staring us in the face on almost every page of the Estimates or, in other words, the government were in debt in nearly every district in which they had done work. In fact, the government had found when too late that they had made a mistake. This year we found them proposing to obtain $948,000; partly to carry on public works of this, and partly to pay debts incurred last year. They proposed to take over for this year's service about $400,000, or about half the sum of $915,000, the propriety of expending which had been lately discussed. The money we were to have received last year for the Dock had proved a delusion and he was much afraid the Government scheme this year would prove to be a delusion also. The Chief Commissioner, when acting a few days ago as the leader of the Government, had said the Dock scheme and the taking over of the $900,000 was the policy of the Government. He (Mr. Robson) had already said in his place in the House that the government was mistaken in believing that the money for the dock was in the nature of a free gift. Now he had to-day the best of reasons for stating that the money would be charged against the Province as a loan and he thought the government would not now venture to deny that this was the case. If they still held that belief, however, he had in his pocket evidence which he would show the leader of the government privately and which he had no doubt would convince him that the dock money would never be received except as a loan, on which interest would be charged, and he did not believe the Imperial grant would be a free gift any more than the Canadian. It was cruel of the government thus to raise false hopes. Hon. gentlemen had laughed at him a day or two back; but to-day they knew that he had stated no more than the truth. The hon. leader of the government had said that if the advance for the dock turned out to be only a loan he should not consider himself justified in proceeding with the work, and he thought this was reasonable enough. When he came to consider the question of taking over the sum of $968,000 he scarcely thought the government could justify itself to the country. It might be necessary, as some members had stated, to take over some portion of it to pay debts which had been incurred last year. The Estimates were in themselves a confession of failure, and the present scheme was rotten to the core. He alluded to the mission to England as a false step and declared that better terms might have been obtained by another course. It was all very pleasant for the leader of the government to be hobnobby with Earls; but the consequences to Columbia might be less pleasant. He believed Mr. Mackenzie to be an honest statesman and that he would proceed with the works without taking any notice of any annoyance which the government of this Province could give him. He did not believe the refusal of the Senate to pass the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Bill would make the slightest difference. But although he believed Mackenzie to be magnanimous, yet he was but human after all and he could not be expected to do as much for British Columbia now as he would have done had he been properly met a year. When Mr. Edgar came here Mr. Mackenzie had expected that if the terms he proposed were not satisfactory a counter proposal would have been made, and he stood ready to grant really better terms than had been obtained by the mediation of Lord Carnarvon. The total amount to be expenditure for Mainland was $202,146, and for Vancouver, $61,014. The government would probably scorn all territorial distinctions. That was all very well; but it wasn't pleasant to have one's pocket picked under such professions. The hon. member proceeded to discuss the various district appropriations seriatim, in order to illustrate the gross partiality of the Government. In fact, it was perfectly clear that the grand principle on which the revenue was apportioned was "Buy support, and punish opposition." Coming to Kootenay, he said there must surely be a typographical error, as the Government could hardly be so ungrateful as to cut Kootenay off with a paltry $3000, seeing her junior member seconded the Address when no other member could be found willing to do it; and he called upon the junior member to show a little independence for once and pitch into the Government for having treated his District with such scurvy ingratitude. The Government would no doubt wink at it, as they had him safe and fast on grounds to delicate to mention here. The hon. member then took up the case of Nanaimo, charging the Government with having held out certain inducements to become incorporated, and now breaking faith by giving $3,000 instead of $15,000. He taunted the leader of the Government with having also broken faith with Nanaimo in respect to representation, and challenged him to run against him at the next election. He dwelt upon the growing importance of the District; it had never received anything like justice.

Mr. Smith compared the speech of the hon. gentleman who had just sat down to an overgrown strawberry—a cross between a ruta baga turnip and a crab apple. He denied that anyone had ever attempted to buy him. The hon. gentleman had said he opposed the Government at the beginning of the session and that directly he had a sight of the Estimates he turned right round. The member for Nanaimo had said we should not get the money to build the Dock; very well, we could go without a Dock. He did not believe any of the talk that Mackenzie would build the railway. Four years were already gone by and not a single sleeper laid down to rest although the railway was the great bait which had drawn us into Confederation.

Mr. W. A. Robertson had something to say on the policy of the Government. He thought the Walkem Mission to England a failure, and although when Mr. Edgar was here he had believed that some good might be done by it, yet that was because the government had kept every one in the dark. The result was that the Premier had brought back terms which he himself condemned. A year had been lost and the fault lay at the door of the leader of the government. What had the government done and what were they now doing? There had been a great deal of ridicule of Mackenzie for proposing to make railroads along water stretches and now we found the Government of British Columbia making roads along the Valley of the Fraser and along the east side of Vancouver Island. He believed they had only made roads where they had supporters to please. He could show where a road had been made to the door of a Government supporter and no further. (The hon. Chief Commissioner was understood to say he had cousins there.) A road which had been made at Nanaimo for sixteen miles and only two persons had been along it. This was made by day labor. He also spoke of a bridge across Nanaimo river—a very good bridge, too—but when the bridge was finished teams could not be got on or off it, and it had to remain in that state till next year. This was said to be a mineral country. Why had not more vigorous effort been made to explore it? He was assured that nearly all the surveys would be obliterated in 5 years. He had hoped that something would be done to aid the establishment of grist mills, paper mills and woolen mills—the Attorney General had all but promised him a bounty for a woolen mill, but he saw nothing of it in the Estimates. The Government ought to have made some attempt to have had the Province represented at the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia.

The House here adjourned till 7:30 o'clock.

EVENING SESSION.

Mr. W.A. Robertson continued—Some 4 years ago this House adopted the Canadian Tariff—a tariff which was framed before British Columbia had an opportunity to be heard. We might as well have adopted the tariff of China or Japan. When the Premier was arranging Relaxed Terms, he forgot—did he forget?—to ask for protection for the farmer. He asked how the hon. Premier could go amongst the agriculturalists of this Province and say he had done the best he could for them. No country ever prospered without agriculture. British Columbia, if her agricultural merits were developed, might to-day export produce. He brought this charge of neglecting the interests of the agriculturalists home to the Premier. He demanded to be told how these four men dared to expend large sums of money without a vote of this House? (hear.) The Opposition had been taunted with wishing to occupy the seats of the Ministry, but those seats would crumble into dust before he coveted one of them. (Hear.) This Ministry had tried to raise up in this city a feeling of hostility against the Canadian Government and against Mr. Mackenzie; but he (Mr. Robertson) showed how this Province had benefitted by Canadian connection, and said that if it had not not been for the money expended in this Province this town would be nearly depopulated to day. (Hear.) Yet this Ministry was never tired of reviling Canada. He asked the leader of the Government if this $250,000 was a free gift for the Dock?

Hon. Mr. Walkem—You have had your answer long ago.

Mr. W. A. Robertson—You have never answered the question. The hon. gentleman for Nanaimo has told you to-day that it is not a free gift, and has offered to show you a paper to convince you that it is not. He has even told you that you know it is not, and yet you sit still and never say a word in defence of your policy. [A voice—He dare not.] Mr. Robertson then proceeded to show that gross injustice was done to some districts in the Estimates, while others were overloaded with favors. Could any gentleman on the Treasury Benches justify such unequal expenditure? He then proceeded to analyze the voters' lists and charged that the hon. Provincial Secretary was fond of building wharves and making presents of ball "purps" to his constituents. (laughter.) Some four months ago he and his colleague were requested to send in a statement of the requirements of their district. They went through their district, held public meetings and as the result of those meetings asked for $46,000, which the district was well entitled to. The Government had ignored those returns and put down $6000 for the district. The hon. Chief Commissioner told him once, "*I* know more about the roads of Victoria District than any man in it!" Six thousand dollars would not repair one half of the roads in the district. What was the reason? The people of Victoria District sent two independent men to this House who could neither be bought nor frightened. He contended that the Estimates were framed on the vote that the Government got in this House (hear). If the Government could coerce Britons they would have none but puppets in this House, and the government would exist by a species of bribery and corruption. He believed the people could not be cajoled or deceived by this system. Nay, more: He believed that Mr. Mackenzie would never be a party to this bribery by giving the government hundreds of thousands of dollars to squander. They had hedged themselves about with laws to insult Canada and Mr. Mackenzie, and yet they are going to Mr. Mackenzie to ask for $900,000 to carry out a system of corruption. [Cheers.] Heavy taxation was looming up in the near future. The policy of the Government was rotten to the core and was not entitled to the confidence of the people. [Mr. Smith—"Draw it mild."] The hon. gentleman says, "Draw it mild," But does he "draw it mild" when he puts his hand in the purse and draws out $98,000? He held that leader of the Government was a "jolly good fellow," but his politics were very bad. As for the Chief Commissioner he had heard that he had he was born to be Chief Commissioner; but he (Mr. Robertson) hoped that if Nature had any more Chief Commissioners like him to bring forth that they would be born in some other part of Canada. [Great laughter and cheers.] The hon. gentleman concluded with the hope that the Government would profit by the drubbing they had got this day and try to do better in the future and sat down amidst prolonged cheering.

The House then went into Committee on

THE ESTIMATES.

Mr. Robinson in the Chair.

The items for the Lieut. Governor's department ($1600), Provincial Secretary ($6330), Printing ($4720) were passed.

Treasury — Minister of Finance and Agriculture $3300.

Mr. W. A. Robertson, amid great laugher, moved that $500 be taken off the minister's salary because he had sent in no report about agriculture.

Mr. Walkem—And be paid to the hon. gentleman opposite.

Mr. W. A. Robertson—All right; but I should take care to earn it. [A laugh.]

Lands and Works—$11,050. Carried.

Mr. Robson (Can't you do with less?

Mr. Beaven—There's no increase.

Mr. Robson—I know; but there's very little work done. [Laughter.]

Attorney General, $5100. Carried.

Registrar General—Registrar of Titles, $3500; Clerk (temporary), $1200 Carried.

Legislation, $2100. Carried.

Dr. Tolmie here moved that the Committee rise report progress and ask leave to sit again. Lost.

Supreme Court, $2480; Sheriffs, $500. Carried.

Police and Gaols—Victoria, $80 0; New Westminster, $5044 Kootenay, $4108; Cariboo, $7812. Omineca, $1704; Cassiar, $5701; Yale. $1200; Kamloops, $1200; Nanaimo, $1728. Carried.

Mr. Robson asked to have one item laid over till a letter could be produced.

Mr. Humphreys complained that no constable had been appointed to Lillooet, and the government failed to furnish any satisfactory reason why no appointment had been made.

Mr Robson said that a year ago the Government had promised to take into its favorable consideration an increase of salary of the Agent at Nanaimo. He referred to the multifarious duties of that officer, and complained that the salary had been cut down from $1300 in a most unwarranted manner.

Mr. Walkem said that Nanaimo was the only Municipality that did not pay its own constable and he thought that the Municipality was well provided for. Besides, the Government Agent had offered to take a less salary if assistance was provided.

Mr. Robson said that this explanation did not do justice to the individual, and that the duties of the constables extended all over the district. The gentleman made an offer to accept a less salary when he was suddenly bereft of all help, and when he was physically unable to discharge the duties.

Mr. W. A. Robertson said the coal miners required no constable; but the crews of ships were sometimes riotous and more than one constable was required.

Dr. Tolmie urged the claims of Nanaimo for more assistance.

Mr. Robson moved to postpone the item. Ruled out of order by the Chairman and the item passed.

Assay Office $2900. Carried.

Lunatic Asylum, $3784. Carried.

Toll Collector, Spence's Bridge, $1200.

Mr. Semlin opposed this item.

Mr. Beaven said the toll must be kept on another year.

Mr. Mara said that the Government was breaking faith with the people of the Upper Country by keeping on this toll. He called on the Government to strike out the item.

Mr. Humphreys questioned the legality of the toll, and moved that the item be struck out.

Mr. Robson alluded to the great hardship to the people who had already endured a 2½ years' extension of the charter to Mr. Spence.

Dr. Tolmie thought this small toll should be continued, when he looked down the columns and saw the large sums the Government proposed to spend in that district.

Several members having been heard pro and con,

Mr. Robson said the toll fell upon a few farmers, and was to them a very heavy loss.

The item was passed. Messrs. Brown, Humphreys, Semlin, Smithe, Mara and Robson in Opposition.

The Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned till 2 o'clock on Tuesday.

Canadian Pacific Telegraph--Pacific Division.

Mr. F. J. Barnard, contractor for the Pacific Division, has received instructions from Ottawa to discontinue operations on the North Thompson for the Canadian Pacific Telegraph line. These instructions, taken in connection with the adoption of the line from Yellowhead Pass to Fort George, would seem to indicate that the scene of Mr. Barnard's future operations will be on the Bute Inlet line.

ABE FRASER, late of Nanaimo, was fatally shot at Lake Washington, Seattle, W. T., by a man named Peter Delancy, a well digger. Both men are well known in Victoria, Nanaimo and Puget Sound.

THE INDUSTRY.—Capt. Cooper advertises for tenders to raise the sunken schooner Industry. It appears that under the Act the duty rests with the Marine and Fisheries Department.

TREASURE SHIPPED. — Through Wells-Fargo the following amounts were shipped on the steamship Pacific yesterday: Bank British North America, $21,529; Bank British Columbia, $12,313; F. Garesche, $9,231. Total, $42,073.

COSTELLO CO. — A telegram states that the Costello Co., on Lightning Creek, struck rich pay dirt in their claim on Saturday last.

BANK BRITISH COLUMBIA. — Mr. C. S. Jones will act as manager of this Bank during the absence in Europe of Mr. Ward.

The Esquimalt-Nanaimo Railway and the Route.

Private advices from Ottawa state positively that Mr. Mackenzie has said that he will commence the railway from Nanaimo to Esquimalt notwithstanding the action of the Senate. Also, that Bute Inlet will be the route of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

C. P. Telegraph.

It is with regret that we have to announce that Mr. F. J. Barnard, the contractor for building the Canadian Pacific Telegraph, has received notice from the Department of Public Works to discontinue work for the present. Mr. Barnard had provisions on the ground, his plans well laid, and everything ready for a start. He had sent his foreman to inspect the ground, and has since received the following telegram;—

Cache Creek, April 12th, 1875

To F. J. Barnard,

We can go to work as soon as you can get the men and tools through. Send from fifty to seventy five men to start with and send others as fast as you can get them through. You can work two hundred by the time you can get them here. I was up the North river, forty seven miles from here: found snow from twelve to twenty inches deep, going off fast. Answer.

W. SHOWERS.

We say we regret this exceedingly as the men were on hand waiting to be sent forward. Mr. B. is of opinion that the final location of the line of Railway by the Dominion Government is the cause of this temporary suspension on his contract.

Bute Inlet Route.

Private telegrams state that the Canadian Pacific Railway engineers have adopted the route for the railway from Yellowhead Pass to Fort George. This adoption virtually means the abandonment of the North Thompson route by which it was at first thought that the road would reach the Lower Fraser Valley and strike saltwater at Burrard Inlet. There is therefore every reason to believe that the railway will come to Bute Inlet, whence a crossing will be made to this Island and the road terminate at Esquimalt. Dean's Canal is entirely out of the question as a route, the explorations last summer having declared it to be quite impracticable. We regard the Bute Inlet route, therefore, as being virtually adopted for the Railway.

Supreme Court.

(Mr. Justice Crease presiding.)

Hung Yuen, appellant, and Low Kie, respondent.—This case which was an appeal from the decision of the County Court Judge at Victoria, was fully heard on Friday and finished yesterday.

One curious circumstance that may be noticed in connection with the trial is the peculiar mode of swearing a witness that was adopted. The witness first wrote his name upon a piece of yellow paper on which the usual oath had been written, and then burnt the paper. Then seizing a hatchet he decapitated an unfortunate chicken which had been brought on for the purpose

The learned Judge gave judgment in favor of the respondent, with costs. Mr. Drake for appellant; Mr. Robertson, Q.C., for respondent.

BOLD ROBBERY.—On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the residence of Mr. M. J. Staples, on Fisgard street, was entered by the pantry window while the family were out taking a walk by a robber, who gave the name of Wm. Beak, and who abstracted from the pantry a quantity of knives and forks and some other small articles. Before taking his leave the robber sat down and ate a substantial meal of which three-fourths of a bottle of pickles formed a part. He was observed to enter the window by Mrs. Leiser, a lady living near, who informed her husband. Assistance was then procured and the rogue turned out of the house. He had the plunder concealed inside of his shirt, and was handed over to policemen Lisdsay and White. Yesterday he was brought before Mr. Elliott and said that he had been drinking and did not know what he was doing. He will be sentenced to-day.

THE steamer Favorite arrived at 7 o'clock last evening with the mails, a small freight, and about twenty passengers. She returns to Olympia and ports on the Sound at 10½ o'clock this morning.

On the last trip of the Favorite on Friday, she stopped at Seattle to remove some obstructions that had by some means got into the feed pipe, and the steamer Blakeley took the mails, passengers and freight to Olympia.

SAILED. — The following passengers sailed in the Pacific for San Francisco last evening: W. C. Ward, Mrs. Ward and 3 children, A. A. Cohen, Wm. Flint, W. Jones, A. McLean, A. Laumeister, Mrs. R. Brodrick, Miss Archer and 3 children, John Holmes, J. Gannon, Mrs. Gannon, Miss Adolphine Flint, D. Manson, Chuck Kwong.

BAZAAR.—The Sisters of St. Ann's will hold a bazaar sometime in October or November, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the benefit of St. Joseph's Hospital. The ladies of St. Andrew's Church and a host of volunteers will assist. It is expected that the hospital building will be completed in time to hold the bazaar therein.

THE steamship California passed the harbor last evening about 5:30, being 36 hours from Portland, and will leave this evening or early daylight Wednesday morning.

SOCIAL.—A social will be held in Wesley Church this (Tuesday) evening at 7 o'clock. A good programme will be presented to the audience.

THE Pacific sailed from this harbor at 4½ o'clock yesterday afternoon. She went round to Esquimalt and took in ten tons of stores and a cutter for H. M. S. Reindeer before putting to sea.

THE bark Amenia took an American pilot at Port Townsend on Friday last for Bute Inlet. In entering the Inlet the bark grounded on Spanish Bank and lay there through one tide.

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All persons having claims against me will please present them forthwith: and persons indebted to the firm of THOS. WILSON & CO, whose accounts are not of late date, will please pay them during the present month. THOS. WILSON.

Victoria, B.C., April 3, 1875. ap4

Information Wanted

OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF TIMOTHY O'LEARY, who was last heard from in Utsaldy by his friends, a year ago, when he was bound for Victoria, B.C. Any person giving information at THIS OFFICE will be warmly thanked. ap10dw*

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OF ALL KINDS, WHICH WILL BE

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He has also made arrangements to have

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And will be ready at that point to

Receive Goods on Storage & Supply Miners' Outfits.

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—AND—

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HAVING A

LARGE TRAIN OF ANIMALS,

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TO THE MINES, AT THE

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JAMES TURK,

Telegraph Creek, Dec. 25, 1874.
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Where Refreshments and Meals may be had at all hours.

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Of Every Description.

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Particular attention will be paid to Goods Consigned to our Care.
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PIANOS! PIANOS! MUSIC! MUSIC!

A LARGE ASSORTMENT JUST ARRIVed Ex Lady Gertrude, for Sale or Hire at

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These Pianos are manufactured expressly for this Climate, and warranted durable, equal to any made. And for brilliancy of tone and elasticity of touch cannot be surpassed.

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English and French Harmoniums, and a large assortment of Musical Instruments, together with a well selected stock of Book and Sheet Music from the most Standard Works to the Newest and most Popular Piano Music and Songs of the day, arriving by every mail.

Violins, Concertinas, Accordeans, best Roman Strings for all Instruments. Piano Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots and Music Stands.

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ORDERS for Music and Musical Instruments promptly attended to.

Pianos and all kinds of Instruments Tuned and thoroughly repaired. no1

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Francis J. Venner

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Jan. 16th, 1875. 6m

Miscellaneous.

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CLOTHING, UNDERCLOTHING,

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Stock Must be Sold, Store to be Torn Down, Rebuilding of Premises

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For One Week Only!

Sale Commences on Saturday!

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HENRY SHORT,

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Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.
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DR. BARNARD

HEREBY TENDERS HIS SINCERE THANKS to Dr. Thompson, of Portland, and the Ladies under his charge, who kindly permitted his witnessing the fillings of some of their teeth during his late sojourn in this city.

Every manipulation of the Doctor's was closely watched, from the adjustment of the **Rubber Dam** and its appliances to their teeth, to the formation of proper cavities and retaining pits therein, the **Packing and Condensation of Gold** and the subsequent polishing and burnishing of the same.

The Doctor is satisfied, from what he saw, and from recent operations of his own, that no perfect Filling can be accomplished without using the Rubber Dam and separately **Annealing** and **Malleting** every strip of gold into the cavity by itself. **Gold thus condensed must last a lifetime.**

DR. BARNARD is happy to inform the public that the process of preparing and Filling a Tooth with the aid of **New Instruments and appliances** is almost as much a pastime with him now as is the insertion of Partial or Entire Sets of Teeth.

Persons not born with a gold tooth in their mouth can readily have a Gold Crown built on a decayed tooth or solid portion thereof that will LAST FOREVER.

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CELLULOID PLATES long since discarded by the Doctor.

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FOR PURIFYING THE BLOOD.

This compound of the vegetable alteratives, Sarsaparilla, Dock, Stillingia and Mandrake with the Iodides of Potassium and Iron makes a most effectual cure of a series of complaints which are very prevalent and afflicting. It purifies the blood, purges out the lurking humors in the system, that undermine health and settle into troublesome disorders. Eruptions of the skin are the appearance on the surface of humors that should be expelled from the blood. Internal derangements are the determination of the same humors to some internal organ, or organs, whose action they derange, and whose substance they disease and destroy. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA expels these humors from the blood. When they are gone, the disorders they produce disappear, such as Ulcerations of the Liver, Stomach, Kidney, Lungs, Eruptions and Eruptive Diseases of the Skin, St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipelas, Pistules, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter and Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Ulcers and Sores, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Pain in the Bones, Side and head, Female Weakness, Sterility, Leucorrhea arising from internal ulceration and uterine dropsy, Dyspepsia, Emaciation and General Debility. With their departure health returns.

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL
BUTCHERS,
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YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED. fe29

Miscellaneous.

VICTORIA

BOOT AND SHOE

Manufactory.

ADJOINING THE POSTOFFICE, GOVERNMENT STREET,

THE PROPRIETOR, to meet the increasing demand for the productions of this establishment, would inform his customers and the public in general that he is prepared to take the field for the Spring Trade with

THE BEST STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES

In point of Excellence and Variety ever manufactured in the Province.

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The Stock MUST BE CLOSED OUT by the 1st of April, after which date Premises have been Leased.

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CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

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R. Maynard,

HAVING REMOVED HIS

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Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds of FRENCH KIP AND CALF, UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY.

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Team for Hire.

GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stable on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night.
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AUCTIONEERS,
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BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for cash.

Liberal advances made on Consignments

Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, tements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted. ja6

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BOOT & SHOE MAKER,
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INTENDS TO CLOSE HIS SHOP ON THE 5th April and depart for the mines.

He requests all persons who wish work done to send the same in forthwith; all persons having work in his hands to call for the same, and all persons indebted to him to pay their accounts before the 5th proximo, or they will be placed in the hands of a Solicitor for collection. mh4

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Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
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